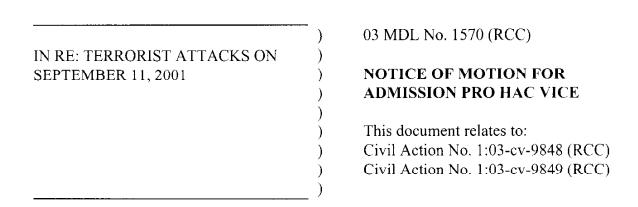


UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK



PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to Rule 1.3(c) of the Local Rules of this Court, and on the basis of the affidavits with exhibits attached hereto, the undersigned will move this Court, before the Honorable Richard C. Casey, U.S.D.J., at the United States District Court, Southern District of New York, 500 Pearl Street, New York, New

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York, 10007, at a date and time to be determined by the Court, for an order admitting Don Howarth, Suzelle M. Smith, and Robert D. Brain *pro hac vice* as counsel for Plaintiffs in the above-referenced cases.

Dated: March 17, 2004

Los Angeles, California

Respectfully submitted,

Don Howarth, Esq. (DH 0930)

HOWARTH & SMITH DON HOWARTH (DH 0930) SUZELLE M. SMITH (SMS 4865) ROBERT D. BRAIN (RDB 3792) 800 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 750 Los Angeles, California 90017 (213) 955-9400 Phone (213) 622-0791 Fax

Attorneys for Plaintiffs

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SEPTEMBER 11, 2001)	
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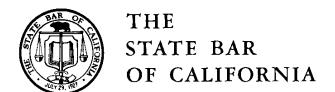
- I, DON HOWARTH, under penalty of perjury, submit this affidavit and state under oath:
- 1. I am a partner at the firm of Howarth & Smith, attorneys for Plaintiffs in the above-referenced matters. I submit this Affidavit in support of this motion to be admitted *pro hac vice* to practice before this Court and represent Plaintiffs in these matters.
- 2. I am a member in good standing before the Bar of the State of California, having being admitted to practice before that bar on December 14, 1972. A certificate of standing from that Bar is attached hereto.
- 3. I am not presently nor have I ever been suspended, disbarred, or otherwise disciplined in any of the courts or jurisdictions where I have been admitted to practice.
- 4. I hereby consent to be subject to the jurisdiction and rules of the state of New York governing professional conduct.

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5. I understand that I am charged with knowing and complying with all applicable local rules.

Date: March 17, 2004

Don Howarth



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March 12, 2004

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that according to the records of the State Bar, DON HOWARTH was admitted to the practice of law in this state by the Supreme Court of California on December 14, 1972; and has been since that date, and is at date hereof, an ACTIVE member of the State Bar of California; and that no recommendation for discipline for professional or other misconduct has ever been made by the Board of Governors or a Disciplinary Board to the Supreme Court of the State of California.

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- I, SUZELLE M.SMITH, under penalty of perjury, submit this affidavit and state under oath:
- 1. I am a partner at the firm of Howarth & Smith, attorneys for Plaintiffs in the above-referenced matters. I submit this Affidavit in support of this motion to be admitted *pro hac vice* to practice before this Court and represent Plaintiffs in these matters.
- 2. I am a member in good standing before the Bar of the State of California, having being admitted to practice before that bar on June 29, 1984. I am also a member in good standing before the Bar of the District of Columbia, having been admitted to practice before that bar on January 3, 1984. In addition, I am a member in good standing of the State of Washington, having been admitted to practice before that bar on November 12, 1985. Certificates of standing issued by these Bars are attached hereto.
 - 3. I am not presently nor have I ever been suspended, disbarred, or otherwise

disciplined in any of the courts or jurisdictions where I have been admitted to practice.

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This is to certify that according to the records of the State Bar, SUZELLE MOSS SMITH was admitted to the practice of law in this state by the Supreme Court of California on June 29, 1984; and has been since that date, and is at date hereof, an ACTIVE member of the State Bar of California; and that no recommendation for discipline for professional or other misconduct has ever been made by the Board of Governors or a Disciplinary Board to the Supreme Court of the State of California.

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I, GARLAND PINKSTON, JR., Clerk of the District of Columbia
Court of Appeals, do hereby certify that

SUZELLE MOSS SMITH

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duly	qualif	ied	and	admitted	as	an	atto	rney	and	coun	selor	and
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In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of this Court at the City of Washington, D.C., on March 11, 2004.

GARLAND PINKSTON, JR.

By:

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STATUS CERTIFICATE

This certifies that

SUZELLE M. SMITH

was admitted to the Bar of the State of Washington on November 12, 1985, has been an active member since admission, and has complied with all requirements of the Washington State Bar Association for payment of licensing fees and attendance at continuing legal education programs.

Dated as of March 10, 2004.

M. Janice Michels
Executive Director

Washington State Bar Association 2101 Fourth Avenue, Suite 400 Seattle, WA 98121-2330 206-443-WSBA

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I, ROBERT D. BRAIN, under penalty of perjury, submit this affidavit and state under oath:

- 1. I am a partner at the firm of Howarth & Smith, attorneys for Plaintiffs in the above-referenced matters. I submit this Affidavit in support of this motion to be admitted *pro hac vice* to practice before this Court and represent Plaintiffs in these matters.
- 2. I am a member in good standing before the Bar of the State of California, having being admitted to practice before that bar on September 22, 1981. I am an inactive member of the Bar of the District of Columbia. Certificates of standing issued by these Bars are attached hereto.
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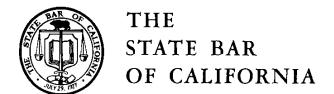
I, GARLAND PINKSTON, JR., Clerk of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, do hereby certify that

ROBERT DONALD BRAIN

was on the 6^{TE}	day of	FEBRUARY,	1981		
duly qualified and a	admitted as	an attorn	ney and	counselor.	This
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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that according to the records of the State Bar, ROBERT DONALD BRAIN was admitted to the practice of law in this state by the Supreme Court of California on September 22, 1981; that from the date of admission to January 28, 1994, he was an ACTIVE member of the State Bar of California; that on January 28, 1994, he transferred at his request to the INACTIVE status as of January 1, 1994; that from that date to January 16, 1997, he was an INACTIVE member of the State Bar of California; that on January 16, 1997, he transferred at his request to the ACTIVE status; that he has been since that date, and is at date hereof, an ACTIVE member of the State Bar of California; and that no recommendation for discipline for professional or other misconduct has ever been made by the Board of Governors or a Disciplinary Board to the Supreme Court of the State of California.

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